

A. G. VANDERBILT LEFT MILLIONS

Three Sons Survive to Share in Great American Fortune.

SPECTACULAR FIGURE HERE AND ABROAD

Marriages and Divorce, Club and Sporting Activity Made Him Prominent.

Alfred G. Vanderbilt escaped death on the Lusitania, only to be rescued three years later, when the Lusitania was torpedoed by a German submarine. The great White Star liner, which struck an iceberg in starboard, sank in a day or so, and the passengers and crew were rescued.

With his death one of the great American fortunes, estimated between \$100,000,000 and \$150,000,000, and dating back to Commodore Cornelius Vanderbilt of Staten Island, has passed to his son, Alfred G. Vanderbilt, who is now a resident of New York.

The eldest son of the late Alfred G. Vanderbilt, who died on the Lusitania, Alfred G. Vanderbilt, Jr., was born on September 22, 1882, and is now a resident of New York. He is the son of the late Alfred G. Vanderbilt, who died on the Lusitania.

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THE FAMILY OF ALFRED G. VANDERBILT.



Upper, Mrs. Vanderbilt and her husband. Lower, Alfred G. Vanderbilt, Jr., watching the seagulls on his arrival on the Celtic, last August.

MRS. VANDERBILT STILL HAS HOPE

WILLIAMSON, ACTOR, IN RUIZ SCANDAL

Orders Search Tug from Queens-town as Hotel Flags Drop to Half Mast.

Vanderbilt's Companion Woman's Alleged Agent at Time of Mysterious Suicide.

No word from Alfred G. Vanderbilt was received yesterday, but Mrs. Vanderbilt refused to give up hope, and at 2 o'clock ordered a tugboat dispatched to the spot where the Lusitania went down. There was still a chance, she insisted, that he might have been picked up by some fishing vessel.

Charles E. Croker, Mr. Vanderbilt's secretary, sent a dispatch to the State Department at Washington, asking it to wire Ambassador Page to send the tug from Queens-town at once.

All day long the same messages kept coming in "No news." At noon the flags at the Hotel Vanderbilt were lowered to half-mast. This was without Mrs. Vanderbilt's knowledge, as she was in such a nervous state that all unnecessary shocks were spared her.

She remained in her apartment on the eighteenth floor all day and saw no one, not even intimate friends. Her father, Captain Isaac Emerson, was with her until late in the afternoon, and Miss Eleanor Sears spent several hours helping her keep up courage.

There was an atmosphere of gloom about the hotel, and the music in the tea room could not dispel. Acquaintances of the young owner stood in corners discussing the tragedy, remembering how flippantly he had torn in half the telegram which last Saturday that it was marked for destruction. His real business in England, they said, was to enter horses in the coming Derby.

NEWARK HAD FIVE ABOARD

John Moore's Name on Saved List, Four Others Silent.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter D. Mitchell and their baby, who were passengers on the Lusitania, lived at 177 Broad Street, Newark, until a week ago yesterday. The day the ill-fated steamer sailed they began a return to their own home at New Grove, Ballyvaughan, near Belfast. They had all their household belongings aboard the boat with them.

Accompanying the Mitchells was John Moore, of Hartford, Conn., whose name appears in the published lists of those known to have been saved. Mr. Moore is a brother of Mrs. Mitchell.

The Mitchell's had been in this country only about two years. During that time he had been assistant superintendent of the Marshall mill of the Barbour Plax Spinning Company at Kearny. He was thirty years old. Mrs. Mitchell's maiden name was Millie Moore. Mitchell selected the Lusitania from the list of sailing vessels a week ago because he wanted to make the trip across the sea with as much speed as possible.

Also on the ship were Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Plamondon, of Chicago, the parents of Mrs. J. Henry Smith, of 211 Mt. Prospect Avenue, Newark. No word has been received from them and they are among those thus far counted as having perished.

FURS STORED AND REMODELED AT MODERATE RATES

Stern Brothers

42nd and 43rd Streets, West of Fifth Avenue.

Maillard

Luncheon and Tea Room
On the Fifth Floor

Announce for To-morrow, Monday, an Important Clearance of Women's Distinctive Tailored Suits

At the Most Decisive Price Reductions

Included are practically our entire stocks of Spring Suits, providing a very wide choice of the smartest and most desirable models of the season, arranged in five attractive groups, as follows:

at \$16.75, 22.50, 27.50, 35.00 and 45.00

Equally large reductions will also be available in

Women's Separate Skirts, at \$4.50, 6.50 and 9.75

comprising all the fashionable silk and wool fabrics, as well as combination effects.

Corsets and Brassieres

of very superior grades, offering unusual values for Monday

Corsets, of fine Coutil, for average figures, at \$1.35 Value \$2.00

Corsets, of Broche Coutil, white or pink; values \$2.50 and 3.50 at \$1.95 & 2.85

Brassieres, of Cambric, trimmed with torchon lace and embroidery; Values 75c and \$1.50, at 50c and 95c

Summer Negligees

Are shown in dainty assortments of Dotted Swisses, Crepe de Chines, Charmeuse and Taffetas, in all the newest effects, attractively priced.

Monday, on the 2d Floor,

House Dresses

for Beach, Bungalow and Camp, of the most desirable cotton materials, full skirts, low or high necks; some hand embroidered, offering

Very unusual values

at 95c, 1.25, 1.95 and 2.95

Fashionable Colored and Black Dress Silks

Offering the most popular weaves for Spring and Summer wear, at extraordinarily low prices.

Chiffon Taffetas, 36 inches wide, in all the latest evening and street shades, also white and black, yard 95c Regular price \$1.50

Crepe de Chine, 40 inches wide, in a full assortment of dark and light shades, also white, flesh and black, yd. \$1.15 Regular price \$2.00 and 2.25

Black Imported Satin Royal, 40 inches wide, very desirable quality, with suede finish, yard 1.58 Regular price \$2.50

Imported Washable Striped Habutai, 36 inches wide, in black and white, navy and white and lavender and white combinations, yard 58c Regular price 85c

Very Remarkable Values in Traveling Bags

To-morrow, on the Main Floor, will include

Traveling Bags, of genuine black pigskin, walrus grain, leather lined, riveted frames, sizes 16, 17 and 18 ins, at \$5.85

Traveling Bags, of black and tan russet, hand sewn frames, reinforced corners, sizes 16, 17 and 18 ins, at 6.50

Suit Cases, of black enamelled duck, cretonne lined, light weight, 24 and 26 inches, at 3.50

Limousine Cases, of black morocco, silk lined, with nine celluloid fittings, at 4.95

Also Women's Hand Bags, of moire, in black and blue or genuine pin seal, in black, navy blue, grey and tan, inside frames, mirror and purse, \$2.85, 3.90 Actual Values \$4.50 and 6.00

Women's Superior Quality Hosiery

A most exceptional offering To-morrow, on the Main Floor, comprising the most favored weights of lisle and silk for Summer wear.

At Very Emphatic Price Concessions

Fine Lisle Thread Stockings, double garter tops, reinforced soles, in black, white and colors to match shoes, pair 32c

Silk Lisle Thread Hose, extra fine, in black or white, with reinforced soles, pair 45c

Black Silk Stockings, extra fine quality, with silk spliced soles, pair \$1.15

Interior Summer Furnishings

At Reduced Prices

Figured Cream Madras Curtains at \$1.10, 1.35 & 1.95 pr. Values \$1.50 to 2.75

Heavy Washable Serim, lace border effects, in white, cream and beige; values 30c to 50c yd, at 23c, 29c and 35c

Washable Printed Table Covers, brilliant colors for porch or room, at 55c, 85c to \$1.95

Values 85c to \$2.90 each

The Annual May Sale of Misses' & Children's Underwear

of Cambric and Nainsook, will present the following striking values:

Misses' Drawers, at 39c, 50c and 65c

Misses' Gowns, at 69c, 88c and 1.10

Misses' Skirts, at 75c, 90c and 1.15

Misses' Combinations, at 80c and 1.00

Children's Drawers, at 25c, 38c and 50c

Children's Gowns, at 59c and 75c

Children's Skirts, at 39c, 55c and 70c

Children's Princess Slips, at 75c and 89c

And in addition, a special purchase of

Infants' White Dresses, 98c and \$1.20

Hand-smocked or feather-stitched, Empire or yoke effects; sizes 6 months to 3 1/2 years.

Household Linens at 25 Per Cent Off

To-morrow's offerings include many of the most desirable grades of Linens required for the outfitting of city and country homes, Bungalows, Yachts and Clubs. Unexcelled facilities for Monogramming or Hemming Linens either by hand or machine at the shortest notice.

Satin Damask Table Cloths, \$1.75, 2.50, 2.95, 3.50

Napkins, doz. \$1.95, 2.90, 4.40, 5.75

Damask Tea & Luncheon Cloths, at 95c, 1.50 to 6.75

Damask Tea and Luncheon Napkins, he stitched, doz. \$1.95, 3.25 to 6.25

Crochet or Dimity Bedspreads, at 85c, 1.25, 1.45

English Printed Bedspreads, at \$1.25, 1.50

Linen Sheets, hemstitched, pair \$3.95, 5.25, 5.90

Linen Pillow Cases, pair 95c, 1.25, 1.50

Huck Towels, doz. \$2.75, 3.75, 4.75

Turkish Bath Towels, doz. \$2.75, 3.50, 4.75

Real Madeira Luncheon Sets, at \$3.25, 3.95, 5.25

Real Madeira Afternoon Tea Napkins, doz. \$4.25, 5.25, 6.50

Specials for : : Monday

Crepe de Chine Night Gowns

Very Special at \$2.85

Silk Parasols

in a splendid choice of models.

Very Special at \$2.95

French Blouses

of batiste and voile, hand-made, sizes are incomplete.

Reduced to \$3.95

Women's Gloves

of Milanese Silk, two-clasp, Paris point backs, in pongee, black and white,

at 45c pair

Women's Fibre Silk Sweaters

Very Special at \$6.75

Girls' Dresses

of Chambray, hand-smocked; sizes from 6 to 12 years,

Very Special at \$2.75

Boys' Washable Men-o'-War Suits

Value \$5.00 at \$2.95

Bungalow Pillows

covered with cretonnes, filled with silk floss,

Very Special at 90c

Wardrobe Trunks

three-ply veneer, covered with fibre,

Very Special at \$24.50

Joseph

Semi-Annual Sale

One Week Only, Beginning Tomorrow,

Monday, May 10

Absolute Clearance Sale of our entire stock of

Millinery, Gowns, Suits and Wraps

At Prices Regardless of Cost

These sales are held once each season only and we follow our policy of disposing of our entire stock.

632 Fifth Avenue
Opposite Cathedral.